

**REMARKS**

This US application claims priority from PCT/GB2004/001738 filed on 22 April 2004, GB 0309088.3 filed on April 22, 2003, and GB 0313615.7 filed on 12 June 2003.

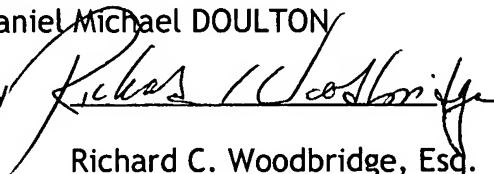
The U.S. Patent Office is hereby requested to examine the application as amended. The amendment to the specification was made to include the priority information and to conform to US patent format. The amendments to the claims were made to remove the multiple dependencies. No new matter has been added by making these amendments.

If the patent examiner has any questions or comments, he/she is respectfully requested to contact applicant's attorney at the telephone number indicated below so that additional amendments may be added as required.

Respectfully submitted,

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